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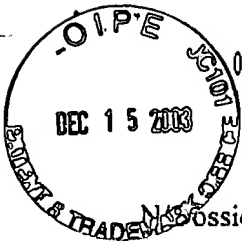
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Se qualifie de "PETITE ENTITÉ", le requérant qui n'a pas cédé ou licencié ses droits, ou n'est pas dans l'obligation de le faire à une société qui emploie une moyenne annuelle de plus de cinq cents (500) employés (incluant les emplois à temps-partiel ou temporaires).

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Fait à Charlesbourg, ce 10 jour de Décembre 2003.

Maurice Loubouche  
(signature)

SMALL ENTITY - definition - United-States

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Signed at \_\_\_\_\_, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FAX

It is hereby certified that this small entity declaration, is being facsimile transmitted to the United States patent and trademark office on December 15, 2003.

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